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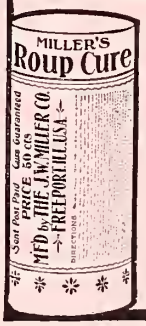

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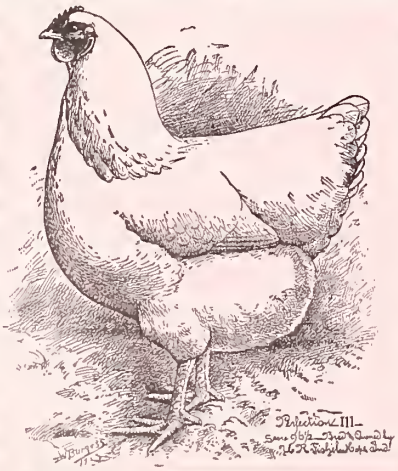

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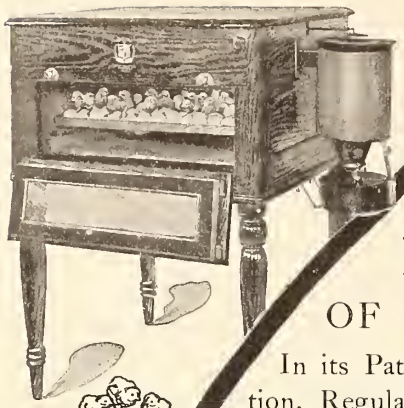

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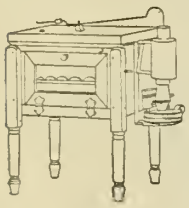

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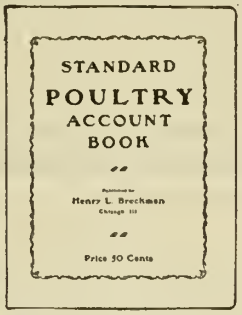

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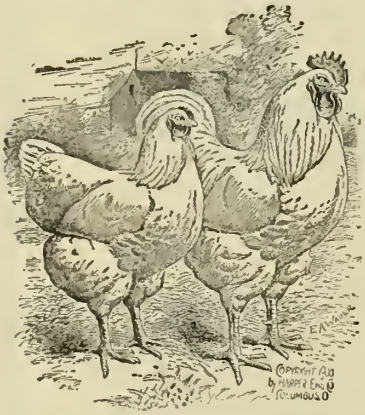

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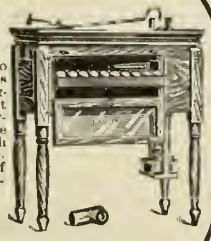

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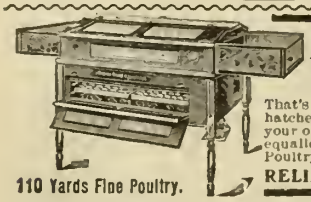

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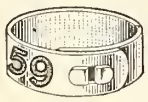

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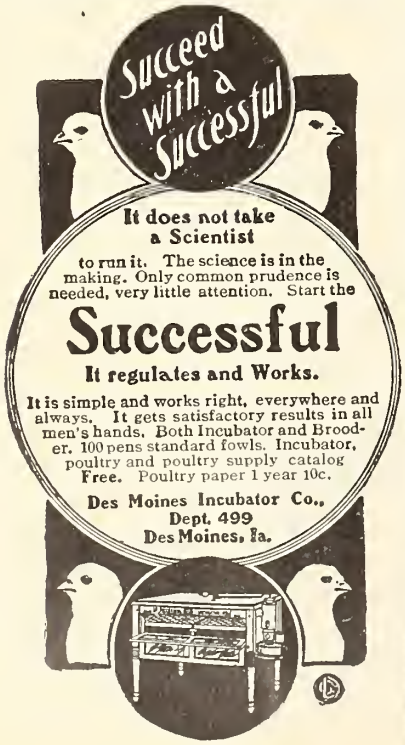

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The Man Who Bred Them.

The color plate of Buff Leghorns on the opposite page will undoubtedly interest every fancier who sees it. Surely it is a remarkably true reproduction of this handsome and useful variety of fowls, and is an especially good portrayal of the live models from which it was made. Supplementing this admiration of the birds themselves, there will also be a desire on the part of the enthusiastic breeder to see the likeness and know something of the man who can produce such specimens. In this case, however, the owner and breeder of the birds, Mr. E. G. Wyckoff, Ithaca, N. Y., is so extensively known in the poultry world that our readers will require no special introduction in this manner. He is one of the best known representatives of the commercial and manufacturing interests of New York State and is the dominant factor in many large enterprises. His poultry business, large as it is, is perhaps the least of all, but by reason of his love for the fowls as a fancier, he devotes much of his time to them in an indirect way. He is President of the Cornell Incubator Mfg. Co. and with his characteristic enterprise and business ability has placed it among the leaders in this line and has given poultrymen a machine that is unsurpassed. The rapid gain of the Cornell Incubator in popularity and use during the past two years especially is undeniable evidence that Mr. Wyckoff has in this, like other things, reached the top.

A few years ago, upon the death of Mr. Ezra Cornell, Ithaca, N. Y., Mr. Wyckoff purchased the estate, becoming the possessor of every bird owned by Mr. Cornell. The varieties were Single Comb Buff Leghorns, Single Comb White Leghorns, Partridge Wyandottes and Silver Penciled Wyandottes, but he had for years previously been breeding line bred stock of these four varieties, the foundation of which came direct from Mr. Cornell's yards. Partridge Wyandottes and Silver Penciled Wyandottes were originated by Mr. Cornell and a fellow fancier. The securing of this flock by Mr. Wyckoff therefore placed him in possession of the fountain head and the best birds in America. His phenomenal record since that time at America's largest shows demonstrates that he has held that prestige and is today the leader in those two varieties. Space here is too limited to mention in detail his many victories in the show room. His birds are in the habit of winning the lion's share of the honors wherever shown and year after year.

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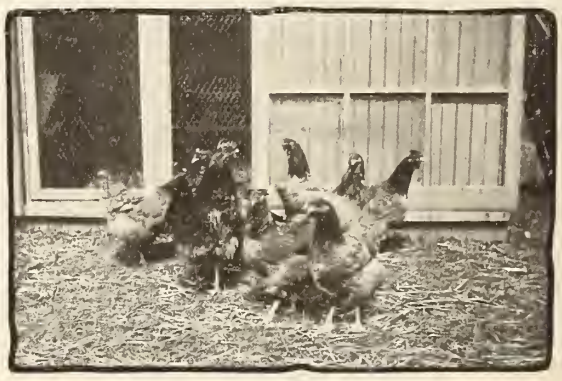
who makes even the slightest investigation of his record can fail to appreciate the position he occupies with his favorites. Strange as it may seem he sells what surplus stock and eggs he has to spare at prices that even the most careful buyer cannot consider exorbitant and Mr. Wyckoff is one breeder at least who believes in sharing a good thing with fellow fanciers without demanding their entire pocketbook in return.

Is the Buff Leghorn the Grandest Bird in the World? Yes and No.

Tell a man who fancies the Buff Leghorn above any other breed, and who has had several years' experience with them, that they are the best of all and he will shake hands with you and tell you that you are a man after his own heart. On the other hand, be very careful how you tell it to one who is in love with some other color or type, for he is certain his breed is the best. My thirty years' experience with more than half that number of breeds has convinced me there is no breed save as one's fancy makes it so. Then how can one's fancy make the Buff Leghorn the best breed? If one is a true fancier and loves his birds, he will leave no stone unturned to bring them to the highest state of perfection. He will make careful selection for breeding and give his stock the care which is necessary to keep up size and vitality and to improve them in quality and increase egg production. I admire Leghorn type and Buff color more than any other, therefore to me the Buff Leghorn is the grandest bird in the world, and my success for the past ten years has probably been greater than it could have been with any other breed. As to their increasing popularity, I can say that after raising more during the past season than in any year of the ten, I have no more stock for sale, and I have been obliged to withdraw my advertisements and have heard of several prominent breeders who have done the same. Now just a few words on one point of breeding, and if this does not find the way to the editor's waste basket, I will touch on other points in a future article. The old theory that mating the two extremes of shades would produce a mealy and mottled surface color has been exploded. The pigments do not mix this way any more than they do in paints. Some of the first prize winners in our largest shows have been produced by mating extremes in shade, only one of which I will mention which was said by Mr. T. F. McGrew to be as fine in form and finish as any Leghorn in the show. My reputation stands on the following statement, therefore I ask the reader to read it very carefully: Do not mate a dark bird that has a mottled or mealy surface to a light bird with the same defect, or even a light bird with a smooth surface, but if you have a light female with true Leghorn type and smooth surface color (which the light birds are more likely to have on account of the White Leghorn blood in their makeup) and a very dark male so dark as to even show bronze in tail, also with smooth surface and good in other points and you wish to produce a medium shade, do not hesitate to put them together, and my word for it a good percentage of the offspring will be a medium shade, with as smooth or smoother surface than either of the parents.

A 97 POINT HEN.
One of the hens in the fourth prize pen of White Wyandottes at the World's Fair Show, St. Louis. Bred and owned by Clement & Fike, Box S, Libertyville, Ill.



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In conclusion I feel it my duty to say that the great and increasing popularity of the Buff Leghorn is largely due to three men. Mr. Arnold, who first imported and gave us this grand breed; to Mr. Geo. S. Barnes, the hustling Secretary of the Buff Leghorn Club, and to Mr. E. G. Wyckoff, who is spending so much money to illustrate them and give them prominence.

WM. L. HOWELL.

Geneseo, N. Y.

Mating Buff Leghorns.

In considering this important subject I wish to call particular attention to the absolute necessity of placing shape first in selecting breeders, both in the male and

A 96 POINT PULLET.
A prize winning White Wyandotte, bred and owned by Clement & Fike, Box S, Libertyville, Ill.

females. If you haven't a Standard get one, study well the shape, then select your breeders according to its requirements, as nothing detracts more from a flock than a lot of many shaped birds. When selecting your

One of the new breeding houses with runs at the Barred Rock plant of R. E. Haeger & Co., Algonquin, Ill.

breeders a good rule is to round up the whole lot of females, catch and throw out all culls, both in shape and color, until what you have left are the best, paying particular attention to these points. Shape and color must be uniform from head to tail, eye red; all off-colored eyes should be thrown out; beak and legs yellow, not willow nor pale lemon, neither red. As for color, seldom can you find large flocks of solid buff birds even in the hands of the oldest breeders, so I would select a medium shade in wing and tail, those showing a few flecks of dark are much preferable to those with white, but I should insist on having a solid buff male, as they can be had at a medium price and much time can be gained.

Comb and wattles should come in for careful consideration as they count for much in the show room. Select the females having a medium sized smooth comb. Avoid as far as possible all comb with thumb marks or those that curl over the beak. Combs having 5 or 6 points at most are best. The comb of the male should be smooth and straight on the head with 5 or 6 points and not too large. A medium sized comb is much preferred to the large Minorca comb on a leghorn.

The wattles should be smooth, free from wrinkles and both of the same size. This applies to both sexes.

It is difficult to describe the proper shade of buff,

TWO GOOD ONES.
A 95 point White Wyandotte male and Mr. H. H. Fike, of Clement & Fike, Box S, Libertyville, Ill.

but it is not red, nor never will be, so do not use red birds to produce Buff Leghorns. Have all the females of a uniform shade and have the breast of the male of the same shade as the females. Because of the sheen on the neck, back and saddle of the male, the breast shows as a rule darker than the female. Yet I have cockerels this year that are as uniform as are the pullets. Avoid as breeders all males showing red or gray on wing bows, also all fowls of either sex that are either excessively large or small and you will be on the right track to breed winners.

Marlette, Mich. B. W. Fellows.

Don't go chasing rainbows by mating the birds any old way and trusting to luck to get some good ones.

The condition in which birds are exhibited at poultry shows counts for much in the awarding of prizes. A good bird is at a great disadvantage if it is not shown in full plumage and properly groomed.

An Enthusiast from Canada.

To say we have all varieties beaten so far as color is concerned in Buff is putting it mildly. The leading exhibitors of Buff Leghorns at the leading shows of America have certainly shown the breeders and fan-

BLACK LANGSHAN COCK.
One of the many prize winning birds bred and owned by E. G. Roberts, Box E, Ft. Atkinson, Wis.

ciers of other varieties what the Standard means by golden Buff. There is not much use in trying to describe this color only by saying "come along to some of these large shows and see what it means." The show room is the school of the poultry fancy, and

ROSE COMB WHITE LEGHORN.
Head of a prize winner owned by Chas. F. Thompson & Co., Lynnfield Centre, Mass.

when you get to the show room, strike for the Buff Leghorn alley, and there you will find your ideal of golden Buff, but we must not let our mind's eye all go for color. Take a good look for shape and if you cannot find a Buff Leghorn male or female either that will compare with any of the older varieties of Leghorns either male or female, then I will go "'way back and sit down." How has this been attained in so short a time? By careful breeding and hard work from day to day and from year to year; no one can make a successful hit in any business without careful thought

A BUFF COCHIN BEAUTY.
One of the prize winning hens at the big Chicago Show Dec., 1904. Bred and owned by J. B. Clark, 312 Evanston ave., Chicago, Ill.

and work on the little things, so this is why our Buff Leghorns are at the top. If you are not breeding for fancy purposes, and want something of the kind that are money makers in other ways, we have them. For broilers they mature very fast, and their meat is very fine and yellow. When they mature they are larger than the other varieties of Leghorns, and this has

RHODE ISLAND RED.
Winner of first prize at Reading, 1902. Owned by Chas. F. Thompson & Co., Lynnfield Centre, Mass.

been one object with us in breeding; that is, to keep the Leghorn type in shape and still have the size. For eggs, we can show them all how it happens, and can gather more eggs from a flock of Buff Leghorns than any other variety. I suppose a word as

to how to get started with Buff Leghorns, and be among the best breeders would not be amiss. Look up the advertisement of some good breeder and write him that you want a pair of Buff Leghorns mated for results. If he asks $25 or $50 do not say you would rather have a dozen for that amount of money. Do not pay for quantity, but get quality. You can raise from this one female 50 chicks easily. Pick out your very best specimens and mate them the next year and if the stock is properly line bred, you can strike off with your birds and be sure of a share of the trophies at the shows. Try it yourself and be one of us.

Thamesville, Ont. NATE K. CORNWALL.

The Buff Leghorn.

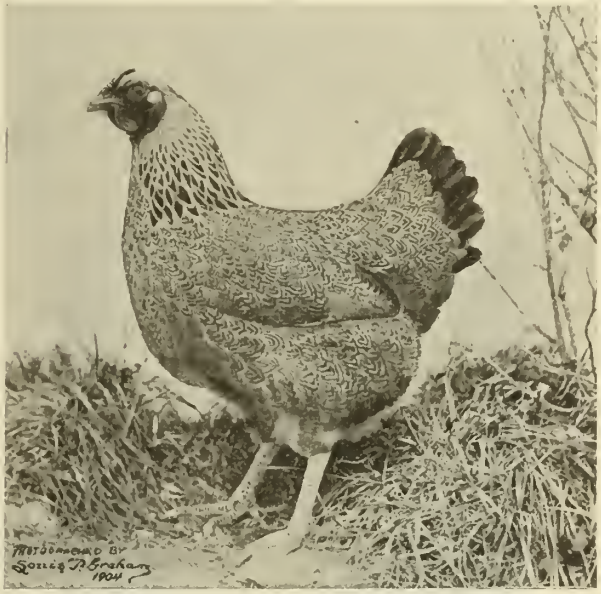
By Geo. S. Barnes, Battle Creek, Mich.

Every fancier has his favorite breed, but we think that all will agree that no breed has risen to such popularity in so short a time as the Buff Leghorn. Many breeders claim that it is the best general purpose fowl.

PARTRIDGE WYANDOTTE COCK.
Head of the pen that won first prize at Madison Square Garden, New York, 1904. Bred and owned by E. G. Wyckoff, Box 51, Ithaca, N. Y.

In almost every journal we read of some one, who has been in the business for a long time, and who has always made a specialty of one or two breeds, adding to their list the Buff Leghorns, and who can blame them? It is a breed that finds favor wherever known, and is a fine addition to any poultry yard.

The Leghorn class of fowls has always been called the best for laying purposes. They are an excellent fowl for the farmer because they grow rapidly and make plump broilers. They have yellow skin and legs and when dressed for market they do not show dark or black pin feathers. As a table fowl they are unsurpassed. The fancier finds delight in breeding them to a high state of perfection and developing their pleasing characteristics. The beautiful buff color is admired everywhere and always attracts special attention in the breeder's yards and the show room. There is no fowl that will grow faster than the Buff Leghorn and lay at an earlier age. This point alone is a most valuable one if a poultryman is considering financial profit to be derived from the business. One dozen eggs will in most cases buy four to five pounds of chicken meat



SILVER PENCILED WYANDOTTE.
First prize hen at Madison Square Garden, New York, 1904. Bred and owned by E. G. Wyckoff, Box 51, Ithaca, N. Y.

sold at market prices. You will find dollars in the production of eggs, to cents in the production of table fowls if the business is properly handled. All that is required is the right kind of care and feeding to produce eggs.

Let us take care of our birds, cull our stock more carefully and more closely, and let us take greater pains in mating out breeding pens, and we will certainly receive results that will more than pay us for

PARTRIDGE WYANDOTTE HEN.
One of the birds in the first prize pen at Madison Square Garden, New York, 1904. Bred and owned by E. G. Wyckoff, Box 51, Ithaca, N. Y.

our work. We will thus develop the fine qualities of this beautiful and useful breed more rapidly.

Those interested should become members to the American Buff Leghorn Club, which will help them wonderfully in this breed of fowls.

The Care of Breeding Stock During Winter.

I am a believer in Nature. I am also a believer in helping Nature. Farmers help Nature wonderfully. Poultrymen help Nature wonderfully too, yet certain grooves of Nature must be kept.

I have of late been thinking of bird life, and how during cold weather they are reduced in flesh, and all the fat used to sustain life. This reducing does not reduce vitality. In the spring the body is rebuilt and a new life runs through the veins. I have wondered

BLACK TAIL JAPANESE BANTAM.
A typical specimen of the breed. Bred and owned by E. G. Roberts, Box E, Ft. Atkinson, Wis. Mr. Roberts is a leader in Bantams of several varieties.

if some such treatment would not be well for fowls. Remember we are talking about stock for breeding and not market eggs. I do not believe in market eggs from breeding stock.

MALES.

Let us consider males first. All who make any business of producing Standard bred stock have extra males both for their own use and for sale. If they are not fully grown they must be fed a balanced ration to promote growth, but if fully grown and a full feed is given they become clogged with fat and burn themselves out. Energy penned in a fowl is not much better than fire in a heater with the air flues closed. I have seen Barred Rock cockerels pennd away from females and kept up to full breeding edge, but I never had as much trouble with barren males as from that pen of fine looking males. The custom of that man turned me somewhat against penning males alone. Yet it is the best if judgment is used in feeding. You must watch when the limit of little feed is reached. As a rule I would say one-half of a full feed at a time or the equal of one full feed a day to a bird.

If cold or some ailment shows itself in your subject you must feed to bring up vigor at once. Red blood is a healer and a killer of disease.

FEMALES.

I leave the hens and pullets out in the free run as long as possible, housing them when snow covers the ground. They should have open sheds for day and closed rooms for night. There is no air like that under the heavens for strength and that is found in the open shed.

I believe, as I said in regard to males, the females had better be kept not too fat. It is not practical to reduce them fully as we want to begin operations long before Nature says is the time, therefore I feed a mash all winter once a day or five times a week, using a little condition powder to keep the system in good order.

The houses or sheds should have cut corn fodder thickly over the floors. In this the grain should be fed, consisting of corn mostly, as no grain contains vitality equal to corn. I like to feed one-third wheat, but since it is so high I use more mash feed to balance the ration and less wheat.

I do not believe in feeding great quantities of clover, but a little, say one-fourth of bulk, is surely good. Or it can be fed dry if you have it of your own curing. My plan is to just keep the birds in fair flesh up to the middle of January, then increase the attention and feed until you have them laying in February, when you will need the first eggs. Or if I wish to set in January I have fed up just enough pens to get the eggs I need. This has been my rule for twenty years and I can see, for myself and business, no reason to change. If you have early pullets and you get them to laying in October they will be thinner and thinner until April they look like faded, overworked people. I had a big Barred Rock pullet one fall commence to lay in October. She proved a great layer. I fed the flock for eggs at that time as I was not doing much at fancy business, as it was only the second year of my business. I kept watching her. I fed her extra some days to keep her in flesh, yet in spite of all feed she grew lighter each week. I thought she would kill herself. I think eggs from such pullets would produce weak stock, after the fore part of April. I would like to

SILVER PENCILED WYANDOTTE.
First prize cock bird at Madison Square Garden, New York, 1904. Bred and owned by E. G. Wyckoff, Box 51, Ithaca, N. Y.

try just such eggs now to be sure. I do not like guess work, but it seems reasonable.

In all this work no sure rule can be laid down. The eye and hand must watch and feel and work accordingly. But this is sure: House them comfortably, do not pen too close, do not fatten them fit to kill, avoid

it by making them work for grain and use feeds containing but little fat producing qualities if you have the heaver breeds. Feed some vegetable food, cabbage, clover, beets, turnips, etc. I give them some meat feed all winter.

Pottstown, Pa. W. W. KULP.

Fresh Bone and How to Feed It.

Annually at this season the Questions and Answers columns of the Poultry press are filled with calls for information how to make hens lay in winter. It is not at all a difficult matter to procure winter eggs from early hatched pullets or well moulted hens if properly fed, but the great majority of poultry raisers consider that they are feeding properly when they supply grain and water for their poultry. A moment's consideration should show anyone that something more is required.

The normal season of egg production is spring, with its abundance of insect life and fresh green grasses and mild temperature. Man by selection has extended the normal period at both ends, so that poultry even under poor treatment begin egg production with the first warm days and continue more or less steadily until late summer or fall.

It is evident then that so far as is possible we must reproduce the conditions surrounding normal egg production in order to secure eggs at an unnatural season. It is evidently possible to reproduce these conditions sufficiently so as to extend the period of egg production through the late fall and winter months, and because at this time fresh eggs are comparatively scarce, the larger price received not only pays for the additional trouble but yields a handsome surplus on the amount involved. When we consider that the average farm flock producing eggs at the period of lowest prices still yields a considerable profit on the labor involved, it is evident that the additional labor required to produce winter eggs is exceedingly profitable. In fact there is no branch of farm labor that will yield such proportionate profits during the winter season.

It is unfortunately the fact that very few farmers house their poultry as comfortably as their dairy herd, yet it is undeniably a fact that a $50 investment in pure-bred poultry will yield three times the profit of a $50 cow in a year's time. One of the most essential factors in this winter egg production is the use of some animal food to take the place of the insects and worms secured in the summer season, and the most easily secured as well as most valuable substitute is fresh cut bone. Raw bones are within the reach of practically every one of our meat-eating population, and when properly prepared and fed they are the most valuable form of animal food possible.

In addition to the lime and phosphoric acid they contain, the adhering bits of integment are rich in proteids, as is also the cellular structure about which is built the harder bone. The use of fresh cut bone is essential alike to the farmer and fancier, not only for the production of winter eggs, but in the production of young birds and the maintenance of health and vigor in the flock. Hens while moulting are greatly benefited by its use.

The fertility of yarded fowls can be kept at its highest point by the addition of cut bone to their ration. In fact there is no period in the life of a fowl when the feeding of cut bone is not advantageous, and with all its advantages it is one of the cheapest possible foods. In a comparison of values it is cheaper at 10 cents a pound than corn at 1 cent or wheat at 2 cents per pound, yet it can usually be obtained in large or small quantities at 1 or 1½ cents at any meat market.

All that is required in its preparation is a bone cutter or mill and there are a number of these advertised in SUCCESSFUL POULTRY JOURNAL which yield excellent results and they are not at all expensive. A small flock of fowls in one season will pay for a machine several times over in increased profits.

Two ounces per day per hen is a safe ration and it can be fed in boxes or troughs and is eaten greedily. It should always be *fresh and untainted.* Cut bone, clean grain, beets or cabbage, fresh water and comfortable quarters; these are the factors of successful winter egg production.

Where large numbers of fowls are kept it is economical to make a part of the ration in a mash, but for the average farmer it is hardly desirable unless he has skim milk to be consumed. Get a bone mill and you will never do without it. D. W. INGERSOLL.

Shermanville, Ill.

A MASSACHUSETTS PLANT.
Bird's-eye view showing building used for cooking and storage of grain on the poultry farm of Chas. F. Thompson & Co., Lynnfield, Centre, Mass.

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JANUARY, 1905.

Don't Overlook Our Prize Offer.

On page 20 will be found the announcement and details of a Gold Prize Offer which we are making to friends of Successful Poultry Journal who are in position to devote a few hours' time to securing subscriptions for us. There are three prizes of $25, $15 and $10 in gold to be given to the three persons who send us the three largest lists. As a rule, it does not require many subscribers to secure the prizes in offers of this kind, and no one should withhold their efforts in the belief that it would be impossible for them to secure enough subscribers to win one of the prizes. An astonishingly small number may secure the first prize of $25 and either of the prizes are worth a little effort. We will send sample copies of the Journal to all who write for them. If you have any friends, neighbors or acquaintances who are interested in poultry, don't fail to show them a copy of Successful Poultry Journal and get their subscription. Somebody is going to get this $50 and you, reader, may as well have a portion of it. Read the offer and take hold of the matter promptly.

About Reading Notices.

There is one point in connection with reading notices which appear in Successful Poultry Journal that we would like to have readers bear in mind. For the benefit of those who may not know, we will state that by "reading notices" is meant the small paragraphic items which appear throughout the Journal calling attention to the various ads. or commenting upon advertisers and their stock. These items are written to aid subscribers in purchasing anything they may want that is advertised in our columns. We never publish one of these notices unless we are sure that buyers can rely absolutely upon the statements made therein. Many subscribers write and ask where they can do best in the purchase of fowls, eggs, incubators and poultry supplies. We cannot answer such inquiries and give names and addresses. All our advertisers are worthy of patronage because we are careful to avoid inserting ads. for those who are not. Therefore, if we specially recommend any one advertiser, we would be doing the others an injustice. We print these items regarding advertisers occasionally when there are special reasons for doing so, and the point we wish to impress upon readers is that these little notices are always of value to buyers in aiding them to place their orders to best advantage. Look over them carefully each month and when writing to any of our advertisers always mention in your letter that you saw the ad. in Successful Poultry Journal.

The Storm Gathers.

The comparatively innocent looking proposed change in the Constitution of the American Poultry Association to take off all limit to the Secretary's salary, is coming in for almost universal criticism. There is much talk among the members who have the interests of the Association at heart. In addition to this, the Poultry Press is awakening to the hidden meaning in the resolution and the great harm that may be developed from it. Mr. A. D. Burhams, editor of Poultry Topics, with his usual shrewdness and keen foresight, comments upon the matter in his latest issue, and ventures the assertion that the honor and prestige given to the Secretary of the Association is great indeed, and that this, with the present salary, is most enough. Mr. Howard, editor of The Feather, whose counsel is always sought and appreciated as that of a conservative, successful fancier and business man, has the following to say in the December number of his journal: "We cannot and do not favor the amendment of the Constitution providing an increase in the salary of the Secretary-treasurer of the American Poultry Association. It is astonishing to note how these dangerous amendments creep into the doings of the Association at these outlandish meeting places, where scarcely a corporal's guard is in attendance. Such changes in the Constitution should not be earnestly considered until there was present a full and interested attendance. The financial changes will have to be considered most carefully at the present time, owing to the fact that bankruptcy is almost staring the Association in the face, and the new Standard not coming out until next spring. These are facts, and there are, no doubt, dozens of sincere workers in the poultry world who would be most willing to accept the position at the present rate of payment. Come, let us be good and save all we can."

Mr. Geo. O. Brown, Associate Editor of The American Fancier, and an old veteran who himself has filled

the position of Secretary of the Association, offers the following timely advice in a recent issue of his publication: "Three hundred dollars not enough, eh, for the Secretary of the A. P. A.! Still the woods are full of competent poultrymen for the position who would fill the office with honor and find plenty of time to attend carefully to all duties. 'Go slow and learn to paddle.'"

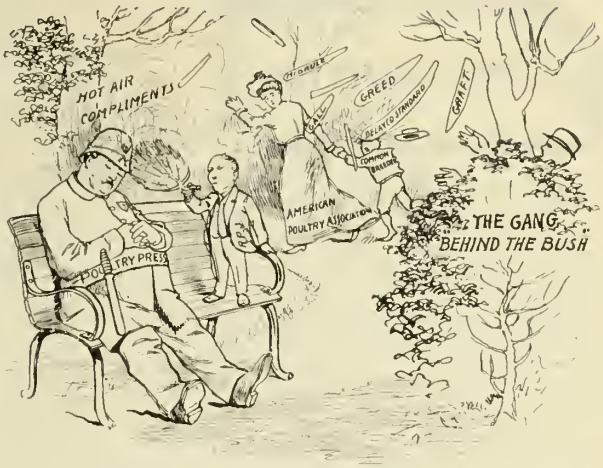
The fact is, that those who are in position to know, feel that there must be something back of the matter which does not appear on the surface, and that the Association is not in position to stand being bled in addition to its affairs being mismanaged. It is well known that there are and have been secretaries of specialty clubs who do much more work for their clubs than has in the past been attached to the office of Secretary of the American Poultry Association, and these clubs have had no difficulty in finding men for the office who did the work without remuneration of any kind. The same sort of material is available for theAmerican Poultry Association, and it seems strange that the salary limit should be entirely cut out.

Will Minneapolis Do It?

There is much speculation as to whether the rank and file at Minneapolis will allow the "salary grab" change in the Constitution of the American Poultry Association to go through, and thereby connect the name of the city with the condemnation and opprobrium which is sure to follow and which will always be a cloud upon the Minneapolis meeting as well as a disgrace to those who vote for it. Nearly every meeting of the Association of late years has left a smirch upon the name of the town where it was held. The mention of those cities calls to mind the political trickery which has ruled the deliberations and acts of the Association to such an extent that the past two or three years have more dirty politics and gang rule to their credit than do any other ten years in the history of the organization. The time has surely come for a stop to such things if the friends of the Association expect it to ever have the respect and power in the poultry world that properly belong to it. It is an assured fact that the voting majority of those in attendance at the Minneapolis meeting will be made up of breeders from Minnesota and the Northwest. It lies within their power to force honest methods and to dictate a policy which will unquestionably be for the good of the Association and the great body of common breeders. All eyes are turned toward Minneapolis and the result will be watched with interest. The belief is strong that she will be equal to the emergency, and that the sterling integrity and sound judgment for which the breeders in this section are well known, will serve as the safety valve to regulate the decisions upon this as well as other important questions that will come up for consideration.

Different Views of Loyalty.

It has become a favorite pastime with many well-meaning members of the American Poultry Association to vigorously criticise all who have anything to say antagonistic of the policy and general workings of the Association. This is to be regretted. It is unwise and unjust. It cannot result in permanent good. Who from among its most enthusiastic defenders will say that it is all that it should be, and that those who criticise and offer suggestions have no



Will He Wake Up and Protect Them?

foundation for their statements. We doubt if a single member would claim perfection or anywhere near it for the Association. Then, in the face of this fact, why denounce those who are just as earnest and just as desirous of making the organization a representative one as are its overzealous friends? If there is well-meant criticism—either from within or without its ranks—why not meet it in the proper spirit, and thereby strengthen one's cause? We publish elsewhere in this number of the Journal a communication under the title, "Will Some One Come to the Rescue?" written by Mr. Chas. McAllister. Perhaps in some places it is a little strong, but whether it is or is not, it gives an idea of what a certain proportion of the poultry fraternity think of the Association and its work. The question is, Shall we meet such criticism and try to avoid conditions which produce it, or shall we choke it off and try to ignore it? The ostrich hides its head and thinks that the hunter cannot see the balance of his anatomy. Foolish ostrich! Shall we crawl into the recesses of misguided loyalty and refuse to listen or take notice of the complaints relative to our organization until we are brought up good and hard against a stern calamity that might by good judgment have been avoided? Shall we be ostriches or shall we face the issue and rout the enemy while we may? If by agitation, though sometimes quite vigorous, we are led to a sense of duty and the knowledge of how others see us, is it not better after all that we have the agitation if no other plans seem effective? We believe in the American Poultry Association, and believe that it would not be possible to form another organization to entirely supersede it, but we are opposed to the way it is allowed to run and the methods that are bringing it into disrepute.

Can you pick out the best birds in your flock? If not, how can you hope to properly mate them?

Learn to judge the variety you are breeding. You will never gain the greatest success unless you do.

Do you know the parents of the best birds you raise? It would be a good idea to keep track of the matter if you wish to gain steadily.

Many amateurs get "married" to a bird because it has a good comb. Don't forget that out of 100 points representing perfection the comb is usually allowed less than 10.

NEWS NOTES.

The Rhode Island Red family of fouls has split up and is causing much confusion in the minds of poultrymen who are not familiar with conditions. The Single Comb variety holds to the name and has been admitted to the standard as Single Comb Rhode Island Reds. Breeders of the Rose Comb variety are now seeking admission to the Standard for them as "American Reds," and the Pea Comb variety is trying to get in as "Buckeye Reds."

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The Inland Poultry Journal celebrated last month with a handsome Christmas cover in colors and two full page color plates. Mr. Hewes always did believe in keeping up with the procession and keeping a little in advance if possible. This policy is responsible for the great popularity of his publication.

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Mr. Milton O. Adams, Hiawatha, Kan., who for a number of years has been "the man behind the gun" with a prominent Western incubator company, has started a monthly publication called "The Incubator," which will be devoted to the interests of incubator users and will cater especially to their needs in the way of reading matter. Our readers may obtain a sample copy free by writing to Mr. Adams.

WILL SOME ONE COME TO THE RESCUE?

An expressive and forceful cartoon, indeed. A song without words. An illustration that brings out in all its appalling grossness and shocking impunity the inconsistent methods of the American Poultry Association.

To the student of affairs in poultrydom, to the person who is not in any manner connecteed with the central body, only he is interested in the general welfare of the industry, to the person who can view all sides of the question from a standpoint unprejudiced by any personal interest whatever in the American Poultry Association, there is a strong sentiment of truth under the cover of the cartoon published last month in the S. P. J., and whose title is stated above.

I do not for a moment infer that I am the "Moses" who shall bring the American Poultry Association out of the slough of despond, by anything that I may say or by any suggestions that I may offer, but there is a solution to this problem, there is a way out of the difficulty, there is a method by which the old association can be placed upon a footing by which it will command the respect and admiration of the craft, and be, in truth and indeed, the organization in the poultry world that its name implies. This can be accomplished but in one manner, and that is by reorganization upon a representative basis, either within itself or without.

So I also say, "Who will come to the rescue?" Who can come to the rescue? The poultry press of the country is the one and only factor by which results can be accomplished along this line.

The first important move is to satisfy themselves that reorganization is necessary. I am convinced that there is not an editor of a reputable poultry journal in this whole country but what believes in the reorganization of the American Poultry Association. There is not a poultry editor in all this land today but that, were he to express his honest sentiments, would concede that the interests of the industry and the success of the American Poultry Association could best be subserved by some radical change in its organization, conduct and management. He will admit that its deliberations are not elevating, that its asumption of authority is the ridicule of the poultry world, and the burlesque of the fraternity at large.

That its laws are largely without force and effect, its rules made only to be set aside at pleasure, and its pet and pride, the Standard of Perfection, applied as suits the whims and fancies of the person applying it in the show room. All this and more will these editors concede, yet with all the ingenuity of their fertile intellects will they continue to advance reasons why the old association should be sustained; why its weaknesses and dedeficiencies should be covered up; why, for the good of the industry, its existence is a necessity and must be maintained at all hazzards. It has been the principal theme for long-drawn-out editorials ever since its inception, and yet with all the thought and consideration that has been given it, today it gives greater evidence of imbecility than ever before.

Admitting, then, that reorganization is

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necessary for the successful operation of the American Poultry Association, the question comes home to us, how can it be accomplished?

Can it be hoped that under the existing conditions and controlling influences that are prominent in the society today, that any movement looking toward reorganization will be presented, much less advocated with any degree of sincerity? Can we expect, if any plan of reorganization were presented that would have a tendency to broaden the scope and strengthen the sphere of its usefulness; that would tend to develop its power and give it a positon in the poultry world where it would be of material benefit, and reflect credit upon the mind that conceived and originated it, yet, in its successful operation, would necessitate the abolishment of the life membership clause and thereby abridge the rights of those who hold them, that, being now in control, they would, out of the largeness of their hearts and for the best interests of the greatest number, yield to an influence of this character, surrender their life membership cards and place themselves in a position where their intelligence and knowledge of poultrycraft would be the recommendation that would secure for them a place within the portals of a central body by the choice of their friends and admirers in the locality in which they reside? Have we any reason to believe that it is possible to convince the members of this association that any proposition having a tendency in any manner to abbreviate or disturb their inalienable rights under the life membership clause in the present constitution, will in any manner encourage or assist in the reorganization of the American Poultry Association? Have we not every reason to insist that every such effort on the part of any member of the association will be met with a prompt and vigorous repulse at their hands?

It follows, therefore, that there is no hope of a successful reorganization of the present association within itself. That it is impracticable under the present constitution. The conditions must be changed; the membership of the association must be so constituted as to invite and promote a plan of reorganization rather than retard. New material must be injected into the old egotistical, self-assuring association, to arouse it from its lethargy and stupidity, and imbue it with a desire to come out of its state of stupefaction and morbid drowsiness, that it may be of some force and effect in the field from which it derives its name.

Can this change of sentiment be accomplished? Can the interests of the great army of poultrymen of this country be placed first in the consideration of the central body, rather than the personal interests of the few, who, perchance, hold life membership cards? Can the idea of reorganization be nurtured and developed to that extent that will insure definite and well defined action along that line?

As surely as the rank and file of poultrydom make the demand. As surely as they are educated that they have an abiding interest in the central body, and to the necessity of such a course.

The attendance at most of the sessions of the American Poultry Association is made up largely of the editors and representatives of the poultry press of the country. They are, in a great measure, the dominant factor in its deliberations. They formulate its policy and ocntrol its destinies. They are responsible, very materially, for its strength, if it possess any, and equally amenable for its weaknesses and failures. If their active support has thus far failed to accomplish desired results, if by their united efforts the association is today, after an existence of thirty years, in no way equal to the demands made upon it, why not try the reverse action and advocate its thorough reorganization. A few publications have started the ball rolling. Why not others?

If half the energy and interest were exerted by the poultry press in an honest endeavor to speak the truth in relation to the American Poultry Association, to place before the confiding fraternity the true state of affairs as they actually exist, that has been used in an effort to bolster up and support the present association, the effect would be immediately apparent, and results would soon follow. Teach the rank and file that reorganization is necessary and imperative, the plan thereof may be a secondary consideration. Will they do it?

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One of the successful exhibitors at the December Chicago show was Mr. Albert Heitmann, Norwood Park, Ill. Mr. Heitmann breeds Buff Cochins and Golden Seabright Bantams. He did not exhibit in the Seabright class, but in Buff Cochin Bantams he won 1st cock, 1st, 2d, 4th and 5th hens, 1st and 2d cockerel and 5th pullet. We had the pleasure of examining his birds and found them to possess true Buff Cochin type and color to a remarkable degree. They were typical little Cochins and were fit to win in any competition. Mr. Heitmann's ad. will be found elsewhere in this issue and we would like to urge all Buff Cochin fanciers to write to him regarding any purchases they may intend making in the way of stock or eggs of this variety. We know that he is in position to please any purchaser in the quality of stock he sends out, and his prices are very reasonable.

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Mr. J. Zuidewind, the Silver Penciled Wyandotte specialist of Holland, Mich., made an exceptionally good display at the recent Holland show and won his full share of the honors. He has made a specialty of this variety for the past five years and has developed a grand strain of birds. Any of our readers who intend purchasing stock or eggs should write to Mr. Zuidewind.

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Our readers will find elsewhere in this issue the ad. of E. H. Turner & Co., Tipton, Ia., who have put upon the market a combined Poultry Feeder, Water Fountain and Young Chick Protector. This is one of the most useful articles we have yet seen. The ad. contains an illustration of the articles. Inside the feed can is an adjustable water can which holds about two gallons of water. This water can has a three-inch air space around it and when the lid is on the water is protected from the sun and the hot air of summer. The feed is put into the large can surrounding the water can and holds about three gallons. Any kind of feed can be used in it. The Chick Protector is arranged so that when needed it may be slipped on the appliance around the feed can, and having a roof over it, keeps it protected from the rain. The upright wires around the Chick Protector are adjustable and can therefore be arranged for different sizes of chicks. We suggest that our readers write to E. H. Turner & Co., asking for a copy of their circular, fully describing this meritorious article.

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The competition at the Allegheny, Pa., show recently was unusually strong in many classes, and the winnings of the following advertisers in S. P. J. are worthy of special mention.

Bert Warren, Evans City, Pa., S. C. White Leghorns, 1st cock, 1st, 2d, 3d and 4th cockerel, 2d pen.

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Wm. Anerswald, Sharpsburg, Pa., Barred Rocks, 2d cock, 1st hen, 1st and 3d cockerel. White Wyandottes, 1st cock, 5th hen.

Questions Answered

In this department each month, the editor will answer the questions that are asked by readers. When writing for information please give all details in full or an intelligent answer cannot always be given No portion of your letter will be published if the mere statement of the question will answer the purpose. As there are oftentimes good reasons why inquirers do not wish their identity known, we will not publish names, initials or locations.

A SEEMINGLY STRANGE CASE.

As a subscriber to your journal and interested in poultry I wish to relate something out of the ordinary and along the line of "a wonder." I have chickens and a few days ago had occasion to kill one of my two-year hens. I chose this one from the fact she had ceased laying and appeared lazy and I attributed this to fat. On opening I found everything all right, good gizzard, liver, etc., and all good color indicating health, but missed the heart and I found it inside of a sack about the size of an egg; also a ball of yellow substance about the size of the yolk of an ordinary egg and had the same appearance of a boiled yolk. This membrane was very tough and the heart was of a white appearance. I also found the breast bone of this chicken very crooked. To sum this thing up I think she must have been caught and squeezed in some manner at about the time an egg was forming ready for laying and caused the formation around the heart. I noticed she stopped laying suddenly and her tail always hung down for quite a long time, but paid no attention; only recalled this fact when found things as above stated. I consider this a very strange thing for the hen was apparently getting along all right but I have no idea how long ago or when this occurred. She is one of last year's pullets and laid all through the winter and part of the summer; only thing I can recall is that for some time she was slow when other chickens were rushing after food, etc., always brought up the rear.

I give you this thinking it may interest other readers and poultrymen, if you care to publish.

I might further state I do not know whether the heart had become displaced by the above or the egg formed at point where the heart is attached to bone of back for the reason I had pulled the entrails all out with one motion and only discovered this then and under conditions as already given. But intact when I discovered this and resembled the skin formation as of a "crop" very tough and the ball was the little eggs that are there by nature ready for laying.

Your journal reaches me promptly and am very well pleased with all it contains; good throughout.

F. F. Howe.

Pittsburg, Pa.

[Editorial Note—We referred the above to Dr. S. A. McWilliams of Chicago, the well-known fancier of White Minorcas and our readers are indebted to him for the following complete description of the trouble which is not uncommon but seldom understood.]

Dear Mr. Editor:

In regard to Mr. Howe's hen, I see nothing remarkable but everything natural. He says his hen "stopped laying suddenly," that her tail drooped; that she was low in getting to the feed trough; that when he killed her she was not fat as he expected. In other words there was no fat. These statements of Mr. Howe's indicate that the hen was suffering from a non-fatal ailment of an internal organ. There is nothing remarkable about the condition of the heart as he found it.

Every chicken's heart is enclosed in a membranous sac. An inflammation occured within this sac and all around the heart which caused an outpouring of sero-fibrinous material into the cavity of this sac and enlarged it. The serous or watery portion was mostly absorbed, leaving the thick or fibrinous portion behind just as milk is separated into a thin and thick portion. The thin portion is absorbed, the thick portion remains. The outside of the heart showed the white inflammatory material on its surface. The outside sac or pericardium was thickened by the same inflammation that covered the surface of the heart by a white substance mentioned by Mr. Howe. The name of the ailment was pericarditis, an inflammation around the heart. This caused pain and fever, which reduced the fat and weight of the hen, caused her pain, all of which made her inactive. She would have recovered.

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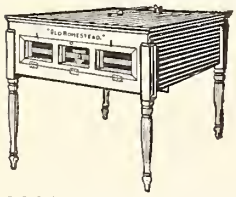

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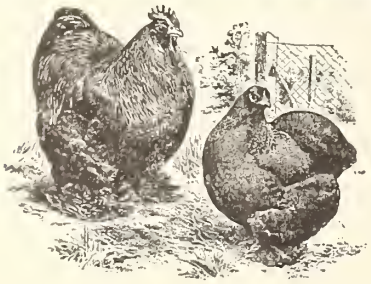

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SOME IMPORTANT POINTS.

Mr. Editor:

Taking advantage of your invitation to write an "editorial" I want to touch on this point. In my 13 years' experience as a breeder of several of the most popular varieties of Standard Bred fowls I have many times been disappointed when I went to look over some breeder's stock. With but one or two exceptions I have seen many things in the yards that were not as they should be; filthy quarters, sick birds, undeveloped fowls in breeding pens, culls with those fowls that were laying the eggs that were being shipped. These things are small but should be looked after. An intending purchaser will oft-times go elsewhere or even not buy at all. I perhaps have set my ideals too high, but I certainly will rejoice to see the time when fanciers and farmers alike will give the care and attention that the "mortgage lifter" deserves.

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COLUMN of THOUGHTS

Not relating to poultry keeping, but it will do you good to read them

He who waits to do a great deal of good at once will never do any.

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The man who idles away today puts a mortgage on tomorrow that is hard to lift.

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A great many people's idea of personal liberty is the privilege of butting into their neighbor's business.

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Better travel the wrong road that leads to the hilltops of somewhere than sit idly in the valley of despair.

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There are times when a man should hold his tongue, though he has to use a tie strap and hitching post.

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Some lose so much time complaining of lack of opportunities that they fail to make use of those they possess.

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Use what talents you possess; the woods would be very silent if no birds sang there but those which sang the best.

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The true road to happiness is not through wealth, but by the intelligent use of all our faculties. Think it over.

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If truth were told in language free
To all who pass our way,
How many people would there be
On speaking terms today?

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If you have built castles in the air, your work need not be lost; that is where they should be; now put foundations under them.

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If you wish success in life, make perseverance your bosom friend, experience your wise counsellor, caution your elder brother, and hope your guardian genius.

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Kind looks, kind words, kind acts, and warm hand-shakes—these are the secondary means of grace when men are in trouble and are fighting their unseen battles.

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We are to be rewarded, not only for work done, but for burdens borne, and I am not sure but that the brightest rewards will be for those who have borne burdens without murmuring.

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Those who wish for what they have not forfeit the enjoyment of what they have. Set a just term to your wishes, and when you have touched it make a stand; happiness only begins when wishes end, and he that hankers after more enjoys nothing.

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Some people contrive to get hold of the prickly side of everything, to run against all the sharp corners and disagreeable things. Half the strength spent in grumbling would often set things right. No one finds the world qute as he would like it.

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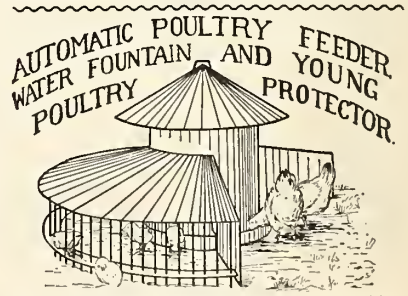

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We wish to call special attention to the ad. in this issue of W. W. Kulp, Pottstown, Pa. Mr. Kulp is well known to all poultrymen who are familiar with the names of the most prominent and successful breeders. He is one of the leaders in Rose Comb Brown Leghorns and claims to have the greatest winning strains in the world. He has won 40 prizes at the big Madison Square Garden show, New York, and has raised birds of this variety that have laid as high as 240 eggs each in a year. At the Herald Square show, New York, last month, he won first and third hen, first and third cockerel, first and third pullets, first pen, second and fourth cocks, 2 silver cups, and all specials. Mr. Kulp's birds are business birds as well as prize winners. He also won first on R. C. White Leghorn cock. He also breeds S. C. White and Brown Leghorns, White Wyandottes, Barred and Buff Rocks. He has an immense business, but it all receives his personal attention and buyers of both stock and eggs from him never fail to receive satisfaction.

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C. A. Mack, East Greenville, Pa., reports the following winnings at the Herald Square, New York show: First, second, third and sixth cocks, eighth hen, eighth cockerel and eighth pullet, making seven prizes on nine entries. These prizes were won in the Buff Plymouth Rock class. Mr. Mack writes us that his young stock shown at this show were handicapped on account of being a little too young and immature. Mr. Mack has been one of the leading winners in the Buff Plymouth Rock classes at America's largest shows each season and has furnished the foundation for many prize winning flocks.

A GOOD WYANDOTTE HEAD.
The comb on this bird is almost perfect. It is a White Wyandotte, male bred and owned by Clement & Fike, Box S., Libertyville, Ill.

Harry D. Dunbar, Elkhorn, Wis., is one of our advertisers who can please all who are looking for extra high quality at right prices, in Buff Leghorns and Mammoth Bronze turkeys. At the Lake Geneva show this season he was first and third on pullets, second and third cockerels, second hen and first pen in a class of 45 Buff Leghorns. He has a grand lot of cockerels for sale, as well as other stock. He has ten large Bronze turkey cockerels for sale, bred from hens scoring 94½ to 96, and sired by a 97½ point Tom. Buyers will find Mr. Dunbar anxious to please and his stock is all that could be desired.

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W. S. Young, McPherson, Kan., has made a remarkable record on White Leghorns at the Newton, Kan. show this season. He exhibited one bird that scored 96¾ points, which as far as we know is the highest scoring bird yet found this year at any of the shows. This is certainly substantial evidence of the high quality of Mr. Young's stock, and we feel that we cannot too highly recommend him and his birds to our readers. His ad. will be found elsewhere in this issue. He breeds Single Comb and Rose Comb White Leghorns and White Wyandottes.

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Any of our readers who are interested in Silver Laced Wyandottes will find it to their advantage to write to Mr. Henry Steinmesch, Lincoln Trust Building, St. Louis, Mo., regarding any purchases they may intend making. Mr. Steinmesch is one of the oldest breeders of Silver Wyandottes in America. He has for years been setting the pace in the show room, and his remarkable record at the St. Louis World's Fair in the hottest class of this variety ever gotten together is convincing evidence that he is still in the foremost rank. Mr. Steinmesch is well known for his liberality in dealing with customers and those who buy stock or eggs from him can feel assured of getting entire satisfaction in every way. He is offering some special values in breeding birds which prospective buyers should not overlook.

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The Premier Poultry Yards, Wilson Fox, manager, Washington, N. J., have purchased the business and entire flock of Buff Plymouth Rocks of J. E. Rooker, whose stock has been winners at New York, Philadelphia, Boston and Chicago for years. These birds in connection with their own places the Premier Poultry Yards in the very

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W. N. Middleton, Assumption, Ill., has a change of ad. in this issue. He breeds White Wyandottes, and has some special bargains in cockerels this month. He writes that these are birds which will more than please purchasers, and he guarantees entire satisfaction. He has been breeding poultry for years, and has never had a dissatisfied customer. At the Charleston, Ill., show last January he won the $25 silver cup on his White Wyandottes, which was offered for the 10 highest scoring birds in the show, of any breed.

HOLLAND, MICH.

The Holland (Mich.) Show, December 20-24, was a record breaker not only in number of entries, but for quality of stock, in many of the varieties the stock rankng far beyond that generally seen in the largest shows. The systematic way in which Secretary Sprietsma conducted affairs deserves a word of comment, and the members of the association should be heartily thankful of having their interests looked after in the way they were. Judge McClave gave his usual good satisfaction in placing the awards.

W. A. Bonner, of Casnovia, had a few entries in Buff Rocks, winning second hen and second pen. Mr. Bonner showed exceptionally fine color in young stock, the cockerel being simply a wonder in surface color and showing practically a solid wing and tail. Should this bird be placed on exhibition a month later he will be hard to equal.

The Partridge Wyandotte class was well filled and many good birds failed to find a place. Edwin Grant, of Forest, showed grand size and color and won his full share of the honors.

The Buff Leghorn class was well represented by many choice specimens, Wm. L. Krepp & Son winning first cock, first and second hen, first and second cockerel, first, second and third pullet, first pen.

Frank Van Ry showed a few choice birds in Buff Cochin Bantams, winning first cock, first cockerel, first, second and third pullet, first, second and third hen, first pen, and on two entries in Silver Seabrights won first cockerel and second pullet.

WHITE COCHIN WINNER.
First prize White Cochin Cock at Pittsburg, February, 1904. A grand bird, bred and owned by D. C. Peoples, Urichsville, Ohio.

John Schipper certainly was out in full swung with his Barred and Buff Rocks, winning as follows, in Buffs: Cocks, first, third; hens, first, third; cockerels, first, second, third; pullets, first, second, third; first pen. Barred: First, second cock; second, third hen; first cockerel; second, third pullets; first pen. The above winings were made in an exceptionally strong class. Any of our readers looking for quality should not fail to write Mr. Schipper. In Brown Leghorns the class was not overly large, but quality beyond average, L. & L. Sprietsma taking the lead in winning.

Buff Wyandottes were out in large numbers and there were birds fit to win in the keenest competition. The first cock was above the average for color and would win in any company, Geo. W. Strovenjans winning a goodly majority of prizes as follows: Cock, first, second; hen, first, second, third; cockerel, first, second, third; pullets, first, second, third; pen, first, and all specials.

C. E. STANFIELD.

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This is to certify that I have sold to C. S. Byers of Hazelrigg, Ind., 1st and 2d prize cockerels and 2d prize pullet at Chicago, December 10-19 show.

Signed,
W. E. STANFIELD,
Prop. Emery Farm.

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E. S. Person, proprietor of the Zumbro Poultry Farm, Zumbrota, Minn., won at Rochester Dec. 13-16, '04, as follows: White Wyandottes, cock 1-3; cockerel, 1-3; pullet, 1-2; pen, 2. Buff Wyandottes, cockerel, 1-3; hen, 1; pullet, 1-2-3; pens, 1-3. Mr. Person never fails to win his share of the prizes, and he has one of the best records in the Northwest. His business is large as is always the case with this class of breeders who would rather lose a sale than have a dissatisfied customer. Mr. Person has this for his motto and he sticks to it.

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Snell & Wildey, Kalamazoo, Mich., are prepared this season to furnish their customers with Light Brahmas that will please even the most exacting. This strain of birds has been producing prize winners in strong competition for the last 12 years. The birds are noted for their great size and heavy laying qualities. Their latest record in the show room was at Kalamazoo, Mich., last month, and gives their customers assurance that the same high quality maintained in these birds in the past is still there.

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R. A. Hewes of Crete, Ill., purchased third and fourth prize cockerels in Black Lanfshans at the December Chicago show. Mr. Hewes has quality when it comes to Black Langshans. Anyone wishing to buy should not fail to write Mr. Hewes, either for stock or eggs.

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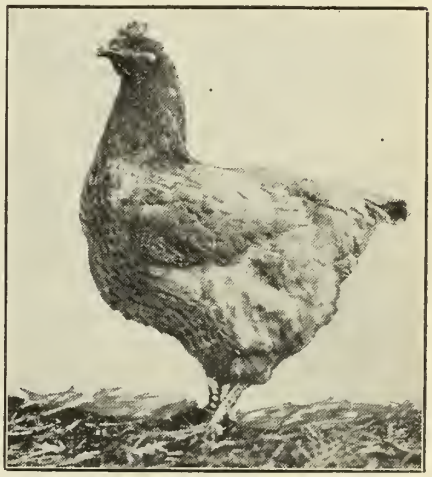
Geo. L. Alban, Adrian, Mich., exhibited five of his Single Comb Black Minorcas at Quincy, Mich., last month and won six prizes on the five birds as follows: 3d cockerel, 1st and 2d hens, 1st and 2d pullets and 2d pen. The birds scored from 93½ to 95 points, with an average score above 94. The pen reached the high score of 188 3-16. This record supports Mr. Alban's claims of having as good as can be found in this variety. He is the owner of the remarkable good bird which appeared on the cover page of December, S. P. J. It is needless to specially recommend such stock as the record speaks for itself, and patrons of Mr. Alban are sure to be pleased in every way.



A RUSSELL BUFF ROCK.
This bird won first prize as a pullet at Danville, Ill., scoring 94½. She won first as hen at St. Louis, 1903, and first as hen at the State show at Bloomington, Ill., 1904. Judged by McClave, Hewes and Russell. Bred and owned by W. E. Russell, Danville, Ill.

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C. S. Byers of Hazelrigg, Ind., made an exceptional record on his Buff Orpingtons at the December Chicago show, winning on every bird entered in keen competition. His birds were the largest specimens shown and had the characteristic rich golden buff color which obtains in his strain. Mr. Byers has for several years bred and exhibited some of the best birds of this variety that have been brought out. The surplus stock which he now has for sale is all of unusual high quality and buyers do not take chances in sending him their orders. Write him for prices on what you may want and mention S. P. J.

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J. M. Holt, Marshalltown, Ia., writes us that he made a small exhibit of six birds at Humeston, Ia., last month, and won as follows: 1st cockerel, score 93, 2d cockerel, 91½, 2d, 3d and 4th pullets, score 92½, 92½ and 92¼, also 1st pen, scoring 185½. The birds were scored by Judge Russell, and there were about 100 Barred Rocks in the class. The competition was unusually strong, and we believe justifies us in backing Mr. Holt in his strong claims regarding his birds. He is an old and experienced breeder who knows how to raise good ones and to pick out good ones for his customers. This is largely responsible for the great number of pleased customers which he secures each season.

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Geo. M. Kline, Downers Grove, Ill., has again proven by his record in the show room that his stock is all that he claims for it. In the Barred Plymouth Rock class at the Downers Grove show in December he won first and second cockerels, first and second hens, and third pullet. In White Wyandottes he won first and fourth cockerels, first and third pullets. Both the classes were remarkably strong, and Mr. Kline's birds showed extra high quality. We have seen and handled his stock, and unhesitatingly recommend it to our readers. His prices are reasonable and buyers are assured of satisfaction in every respect.

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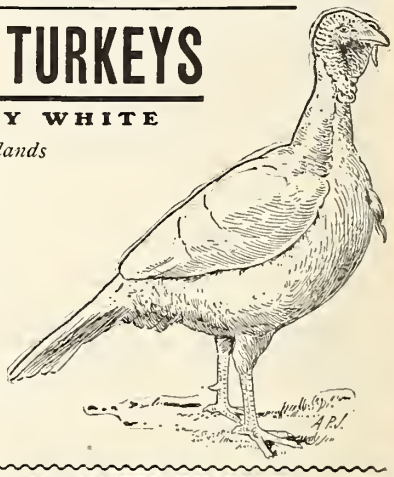

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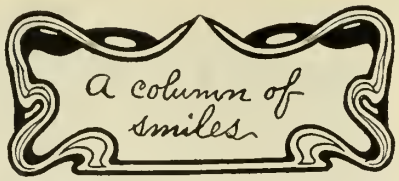

Colonel—"Yo' say yo' pap is siek in bed? Then he couldn't have been round my chieken roost last night."

Sambo—"No, suh. I reekon he ain't nevah gwine pervide fer our fambly no moh."

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"Oh," sneered the self important exhibitor who was criticising the judge's awards, "you think you know it all, don't you?"

"Not quite," replied the judge. "For instance, I don't know how you manage to secure an occasional customer."

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"This," said the asylum attendant, as he paused in front of a padded cell containing a lone man, "is a helpless case."

Visitor—Poor man! What was the cause of his trouble?

Attendant—He was a poultry judge who tried to please all the exhibitors.

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I had a little speckled hen,
She was our household pet;
I called her England, feeling sure
Her son would never set.
But when a dog waylaid her son
And took him by surprise,
I called her Russia, as I feared
Her son would never rise.

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I have a premonition, hoarsely whispered the fancier the day before the poultry show, when he discovered some white in the wings of his Black Minorcas.

Premonition of what? excitedly replied his wife.

A premonition that I shall dye tonight, said he.

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Mr. Rooster—Just look at young Gobbler there. He is going to the bad fast. He keeps low company and slouches around like a regular bully.

Mr. Drake—Ah, he's not so bad, after all. You see, before Thanksgiving he conceived the idea of pretending to be tough and must keep it up now till after New Years.

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Heard in the poultry yard on a hot summer day—"Look at that little bantam," said the Buff Cochin. "He seems to be all out of breath. Gracious, how he is puffing!"

"Yes," replied the Brahma, "his lungs seem too strong for his little body."

"In other words, he appears to be too small for his pants."

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"Cuhnel Boozley?" repeated the landlord of the tavern at Paradise, Ky. "Well, suh, the cuhnel, to say the least about him, is one of the most methodical men you 'most ever met."

"Methodical?" inquired the patent churn man, who had put the first question.

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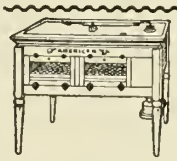

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Mr. John J. Raab of Flint, Mich., won two first prizes and two third prizes on his White Plymouth Rocks at the Durand, Mich., show, with J. A. Tucker as judge. He has a large number of birds for sale at right prices.

One of the new ads. in this issue of Successful Poultry Journal is that of E. G. Roberts, Ft. Atkinson, Wis. Mr. Roberts is one of those breeders who has made a big success of breeding a large number of different varieties. He is a competent breeder and judge, and that accounts largely for his success, as he knows what a good bird should be, and he never ships one to a customer that is not worth as much or more than the amount paid for it. He is one of the reliable substantial business men of Ft. Atkinson, and buyers will find him prompt in answering correspondence and in giving attention to their orders. He won over 1,700 prizes in 1903, and at the St. Louis World's Fair show he won more prize money and more first, second and third prizes than any exhibitor in the United States or Canada. He won 60 first prizes and 59 second prizes, and won 242 in all. A breeder who can do this certainly has strong claims for patronage and we suggest to our readers that they send for a copy of his large catalogue which may be obtained free by addressing E. G. Roberts & Co., Box S, Ft. Atkinson, Wis. The prices quoted on stock and eggs are right.

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The December Chicago Show.

The exhibition of the Chicago Poultry & Pet Stock Association was held Dec. 10 to 19 and the management informs us that it was in every way a successful one. The location of the show in almost the heart of the business section of the city helped greatly to attract visitors and it was largely attended by the public. The officers, directors and superintendents all worked harmoniously for the welfare of the exhibitors and the convenience of the public and are to be congratulated upon the success of their endeavors. The official catalogue showed a total of 2,546 entries. In many of the classes were to be found some of the best specimens brought out this season and in fact, a number of St. Louis World's Fair birds were on exhibition.

In the Barred Rock class R. E. Haeger & Co., Algonquin, Ill., secured most of the prizes on birds that were clearly entitled to the places given them. They won every first and second prize except first on pullet and second on pen.

In White Rocks the May R. Poultry Plant, D. T. Roots, Prop., Connersville, Ind., had 1st and 5th cocks; 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th hens; 3rd and 5th cockerels; 2nd, 3rd and 6th pullets; 2nd, 3rd and 4th pens. J. L. Jefferson, Des Plaines, Ill., had 5th hen; 1st, 2nd and 4th cockerels; 1st and 4th pullets and 1st pen. D. W. Ingersoll, Shermerville, Ill., had 3rd cock. Lyman H. Hill, Jackson, Mich., had 2nd hen.

In White Wyandottes, J. L. Jefferson, Des Plaines, Ill., won 1st cock; 1st, 2nd and 3rd hens; 1st and 2nd cockerels; 1st, 3rd and 4th pullets and 1st pen. The West Michigan Poultry Farm, Chicago office, 1408 Fisher Bldg., Chicago, were also winners in this class.

Dr. N. E. Mighell, Marshalltown, Ia., was represented in the Light Brahma and Partridge Wyandotte classes. His birds in both these classes were greatly admired and commented upon by exhibitors and judges. The birds were grand in type and color markings and would win anywhere. In Light Brahmas he made practically a clean sweep and the specimens he showed in this class were some of the best that have been seen in Chicago for years.

E. E. Beck, Hammond, Ind., and W. W. Burdick, Alba, Mich., won most of the prizes in R. C. Rhode Island Reds.

J. B. Clark, 312 Evanston Ave., Chicago, as usual had things nearly his own way in the Buff Cochin class. Mr. Clark has been breeding this variety for 35 years and his birds are as near perfection as it is possible to get Buff Cochins.

R. A. Hewes, Crete, Ill., showed some of his excellent Black Langshans and was among the prominent winners. He certainly knows how to breed good ones.

In Rose Comb White Leghorns, The Rocky River Poultry Co., Austin Ave. and Superior St., Chicago, made almost a clean sweep and secured all the first and second prizes except one first and one second.

Albert R. Zier, 552 Milford St., Watertown, Wis., was a prominent winner in Single Comb, White and Buff Leghorns.

A. B. Kaye, Walworth, Wis., who always gets the majority of the prizes in the Black Minorca class, had no difficulty in clearing things up at Chicago again this season. His birds are true to type and his best specimens always reach 95 points and better under all judges.

In White Minorcas, Dr. S. A. McWilliams, 3456 Michigan Ave., Chicago, showed some remarkably fine birds that maintained his reputation for having the best in this variety; 1st prize pen was among his winnings.

H. M. Horton, Drexel, Ill., exhibited a string of fine Blue Andalusians and won everything offered on this variety.

S. C. Buff Orpingtons were a strong class and honors were about evenly divided between C. S. Byers, Hazelrigg, Ind., and C. E. Stanfield, Hillsdale, Mich. Both these breeders have specimens that would win in any competition.

Albert C. Heitman, Norwood Park, Ill., showed some of the best Buff Cochin bantams we have seen this season and won every prize he competed for.

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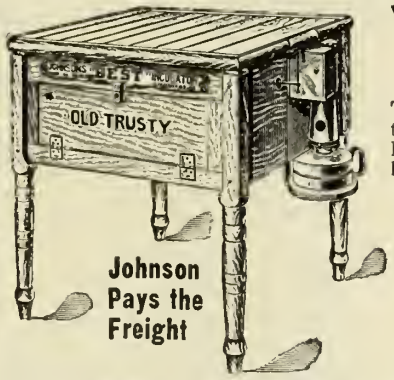

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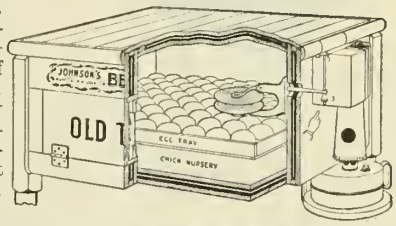

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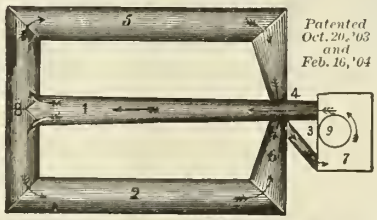

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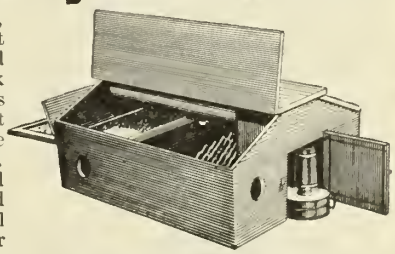

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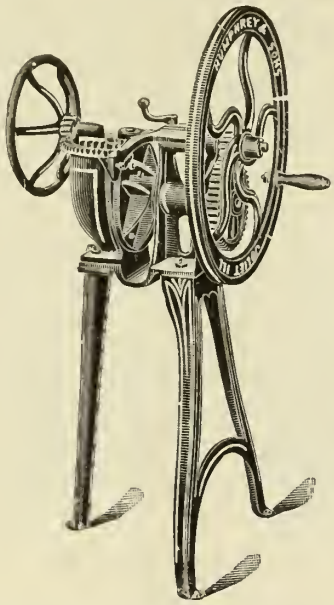

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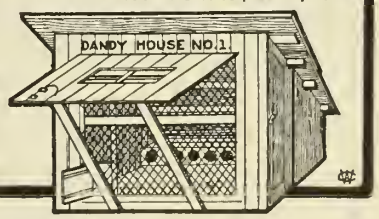

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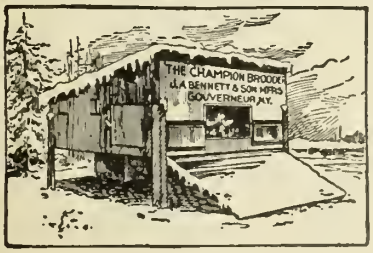

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The Southeastern Wisconsin Poultry and Pet Stock Association have just issued their Seventh Annual Premium List and Breeder's Directory. This is a beautiful illustrated booklet of 54 pages and is of interest to every person who buys, sells or exhibits stock of any kind. In its pages will not only be found the complete announcement of the many inducements offered to exhibitors at the poultry exhibition to be held at Delavan, Wis., Jan. 23-28, 1905, but in the breeder's directory the breeding industry of Southern Wisconsin is presented to the public in a manner never attempted before.

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The annual exhibition of the National Fanciers' and Breeders' Association of Chicago is one that always creates widespread interest both locally and in other States. The show to be held this year will be no exception to the rule. All indications give assurance of a larger and better show than has ever before been held. Each bird will be cooped singly in a coop by itself, and the most convenient and up-to-date cooping will be used. The dates are Jan. 23rd. to 28th. and the exhibition will be held at the Chicago Collseum, Wabash Ave. and 15th. Sts., which is the largest building of the kind west of New York City. Even this large building will not be sufficient to hold the

number of birds that are expected, and entries will therefore close promptly and any received after the closing date will positively not be accepted. Exhibitors will find this show an exceedingly profitable one to attend. The winners of the premiums offered here are always greatly benefited in an advertising way, and enjoy a large trade as a result of their winnings. The Officers, Directors, and Judges are as follows:

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ANGOLA, IND.

The fourth annual Tri-State Poultry and Pet Stock Association exhibition will be held in Angola, Ind., January 18-21, 1905, and promises to be a hummer, as tbere are a lot of good birds owned in our territory. We have large hall (50 by 100 ft.) with large windows on three sides, liberal cash premiums, casb specials, sllver cups and a long list of valuable specials by our merchants and others. S. B. Lane will place tbe handsome silk ribbons, and a postal to Secretary H. M. Crain, Angola, Ind., will bring you a cataiogue. When looking for a show with prestige don't forget us.

CHICAGO HEIGHTS, ILL.

The third annual exhibition of the Chicago Heights Fanciers' Association will be held at Bonath's Opera House, Chicago Heights, Ill., Jan. 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14, 1905. The exhibition includes poultry, pigeons, and seed corn. This show is run on a different basis than most others as no cash prizes are paid hence tbe entry fees are very low, just sufficient to cover the cost of judging, and if you fail to win the ribbons your pocket book will have suffered very little, and if you win the fact that you received an award here will be worth dollars to you from an advertising point of view. Some of the specials offered are well worth going after, among them a beautiful $25 silver trophy cup for the best cock, cockerel, four hens and four pullets, also a Sure Hatch incubator for the best display. Chicago fanciers should write at once for a premium list, as our sbow is very convenient to you, almost at your doors. Mr. O. L. McCord will judge, nuff sed. HARRY NEATH, *Secretary, Chicago Heights, Ill.*

WAVERLY, IOWA.

A poultry show will be held at Waverly, Iowa, Feb. 8th to 11th, inclusive. The entries ciose Feb. 4th. T. F. Rigg will do the judging. Premium list and full information may be obtained by writing to B. L. BURBANK, *Secretary, Waverly, Iowa.*

R. C. BROWN LEGHORN CLUB.

The following is a list of the newly eiected officers of American R. C. B. Leghorn Club for 1904 and '05: President, W. W. Kulp, Pottsdown, Pa.; Vice President, Sara A. Little, Clyde, N. Y.; Secretary Treasurer, Fred Alger, Waukan, Wis. Executive Committee—E. P. Pierson, Addison, N. Y.; Dr. Paul Kyle, Flushing, L. I.; R. D. Button, Canastota, N. Y.; Bert B. High, Detroit, Mich.; Mrs. Clara S. Bissell, Montrose, Pa., F. W. Brooke, Ithaca, Mich. The Advisory Board consists of 26 prominent breeders of R. C. Brown Leghorns.

DAYTON, O.

The Ohio State Poultry Association has decided to join the exhibition of The Dayton Fanciers Ciub in the Armory, at Dayton, Ohio, on January 25tb to 31st, 1905. This combination means tbat this will be one of the greatest exhibitions of poultry ever held in the Middle West; over $150.00 in cash has been put up in special prizes, besides numerous other specials. With entry fees at only 50 cents, which includes cooping and feeding, this show ought to bring out a good string of birds. As the space is limited to 1,600 birds, entries must be made early. Theodore Hewes, the well-known judge, and other prominent judges are scheduled to place the awards.

As The Dayton Fanciers' Club is noted for its square dealing, and the fulfilling of its promises, exhibitors will get all that is coming to them. The secretary, Mr. Lenz, is an old fancier, and will give his undivided time to the show. Tbis means tbat birds will have his personal attention and the best of care. Entries are already in from eighteen different states, and every variety in the Standard will be represented. Specials from ten different clubs will be up, several of them having this as their state meet. Make your arrangements to put this show on your list. The secretary will mail you premium list and entry blanks on application. Address Carl W. Lenz, Reibold Building, Dayton, Ohio.

KANKAKEE, ILL.

The Kankakee Foultry & Pet Stock association will hold its fourth annual exhibition Jan. 11-17, 1905, Ben S. Meyers Judge. If you will write E. P. Vining, secretary, Hospital, Ill., for a premium list you will be surprised to see the liberal cash prizes offered in every class, besides cash specials of $5.00 each in four different classes and a $20.00 gold special for largest number of entries made. This show is one of the good ones that should and will be well patronized by breeders.

LEOMINSTER, MASS.

A number of members of the Fitchburg Poultry Association met recently at Leominster and voted to transfer the Association from Fitchburg to Leominster on account of inconvenience of hall in Fitchburg, also to name it the Leominster Poultry Association. The show will be held at Music Hall, Leominster, Feb. 8-10. The officers elected are: President, A. A. Tisdale; vice-president, M. H. Bosworth; auditor, I. C. Greene; supt. of hall, F. D. Burdette, all of Leominster; secretary, Henry A. Benedict; vice-president, J. A. Ashline; treasurer, J. Lee Frost, Fitchburg; vice-president and assistant secretary, L. H Brown, Lunenburg.

CHARLESTON, ILL.

The Premium List of the Eastern, Ill., Fanciers' Association has been distributed and if you have failed to receive a copy, one will be sent you by sending your address to C. L. Carney, secretary.

Tbey have about $250 in money, cups and merchandise as specials and will pay breeders to attend tbis centrai show to be held at Charleston, Ill., Jan. 9 to 13. Premiums will be designated by fine silk badges and are of six different colors.

DUNKIRK, N. Y., SHOW.

The premium list for the Dunkirk-Fredonia Fanciers' Association annual show is now ready for mailing and a copy of same can be had by addressing W. C. Baumgartner, secretary, Dunkirk, N. Y.

The show will be held in Dunkirk, N. Y., February 2-3-4-5-6-7, 1905, and entries close January 25, 1905. Mr. Wick Hathaway of Madison, Ohio, will judge the Poultry which will be scored, and Mr. Charles E.

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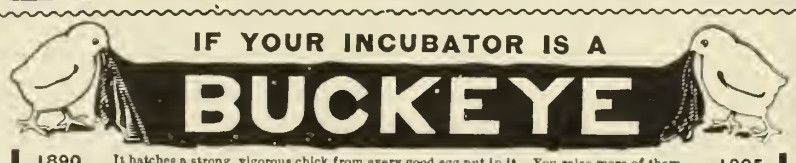

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ROCKFORD, ILL.

One of the most promising shows in Northern Illinois this season is the one to be held at Rockford the latter part of January. The Association is incorporated with a capital stock of $1,000 and is prepared to hold one of the best shows in the State. The interests of exhibitors will be carefully looked after, and a most interesting list of premiums have been offered. D. T. Heimlich will judge the show. Chas. S. Gilbert of Rockford is secretary, and will gladly send premium list and full information to all who write for it. We are sure that all breeders who exhibit their birds here will be more than pleased in every way and we urge them to send to Mr. Gilbert for a copy of the premium list.

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DETROIT, MICH.

The International Poultry, Pigeon and Pet Stock Club of Detroit, Mich., will hold their second annual exhibition in the Detroit Light Infantry Armory, Thursday, January 12th, to Thursday, January 19th, 1905. (No birds on the road over Sunday.)

Judges: T. F. Rigg and W. C. Denny. Awards by score card. Uniform cooping.

Liberal cash prizes, payment of which before the close of the show—same as last year—is guaranteed.

State silver cups and club ribbons of the American White Plymouth Rock Club and the National White Wyandotte Club; a handsome silver cup for Buff Plymouth Rocks, open to all, and a valuable silver cup for the best white bird in the show; also the club ribbons of the American S. C. Brown Leghorn Club, the American Orpington Club, and the Blue Andalusian Club of America.

Judging will be completed and ribbons up before show is opened to the public.

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At close of show exhibits can be shipped direct to big Chicago show, if desired, arriving in ample time for opening. Entries positively close January 7th, 1905.

Dont forget the name, place and date.

The International Poultry Club of Detroit, Light Infantry Armory, January 12, 19, 1905. A postal will bring you a premium list. S. Z. Harroun, Secretary, 269 Harrison Ave., Detroit, Mich.

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HOLYOKE, MASS.

The poultry breeders of Holyoke, South Hadley Falls, Fairview, Granby and Chicopee, met at K. of P. hall Saturday night and formed an association to be known as the Holyoke Poultry and Pet Stock Association. The meeting was largely attended and much interest was shown and organized with the following officers: President, Robert P. Cunningham of Holyoke; first vice president, Fred Childs of Holyoke; second vice president, H. S. Williams of Chicopee; secretary and treasurer, George Barnett, Jr., of Holyoke; directors, S. A. Anderson of Holyoke, George A. Lamb of Holyoke, James Beattie of South Hadley Falls, George F. Eastman of Granby, A. C. Chapin of Chicopee. The various committees were appointed to find suitable hall, by-laws, etc. The club starts off with a membership of about 60, with the indications that it will reach 100 by next meeting.

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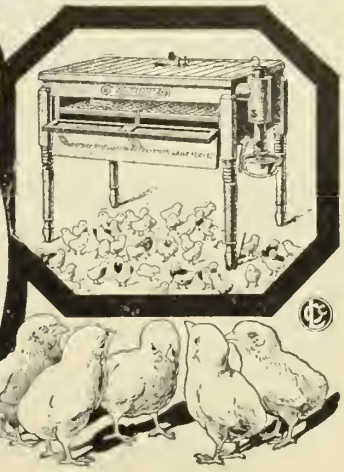

Poultry Shows to be Held During the Season 1904-05.

AUBURN, N. Y. JAN. 19-23.
J. H. Scott, Sec'y.

ATLANTA, GA. JAN. 4-11.
C. O. Hartwell, Sec'y. Judge Marshall.

AURORA, ILL. JAN. 17-20.
H. Moser, Sec'y. Judge Pierce.

ANGOLA, IND. JAN. 18-21.
H. M. Crain, Sec'y. Judge Lane.

ADAMS, MASS. JAN. 4-6.
A. W. Soffard, Sec'y.

ALLEGAN, MICH. JAN. 20-24.
W. H. Warner, Sec'y. Judge Rapp.

ANN ARBOR, MICH. JAN. 18-21.
G. R. Cooper, Sec'y. Judge Tucker.

ABERDEEN, MISS. JAN. 9-13.
A. Brannin, Sec'y. Judge Hutchinson.

AUSTIN, MINN. JAN. 4-7.
J. S. Wood, Sec'y. Judge Shellabarger.

ALBANY, ORE. JAN. 18-21.
C. W. Vunk, Sec'y. Judge Hinds.

BLACKWELL, OKLA. JAN. 18-21.
Roy L. Shaw, Sec'y. Judge Emry.

BELVIDERE, ILL. JAN. 30-FEB. 4
C. M. Wachter, Sec'y. Judge Holden.

BLOOMINGTON, ILL. JAN. 13-18.
W. E. Capen, Sec'y. Judge Pierce.

BEVERLY, MASS. JAN. 5-7.
A. Elliott, Sec'y. Judge Lambert.

BOSTON, MASS. JAN. 16-21
A. R. Sharp, Sec'y.

CHARLESTON, ILL. JAN. 9-14.
C. L. Carney, Sec'y.

CHICAGO, ILL. JAN. 23-28.
F. L. Kimmey, Sec'y.

CHARLESTON, W. VA. JAN. 25-27.
J. B. Garvin, Sec'y.

CHICAGO HEIGHTS, ILL. JAN. 10-14.
H. Neath, Sec'y. Judge McCord.

CROWN POINT, IND. JAN. 11-14.
R. G. Biellefeld, Sec'y. Judge Heck.

CEDAR RAPIDS, IA. JAN. 16-21.
N. P. Bourne, Sec'y. Judges Lambert, Wales and Shanklin.

CHARLOTTE, N. C. JAN. 16-21.
W. B. Alexander, Sec'y. Judge Schwab.

CANTON, O. FEB. 1-6
C. P. Bruce, Sec'y. Judge Rigg.

CAMBRIDGE, O. JAN. 11-14
J. C. Sarchet, Sec'y. Judge Schwab.

DENVER, COLO. JAN. 9-14.
J. R. Wilson, Sec'y. Judge Lambert.

DUBUQUE, IA. JAN. 2-7
J. Agnew, Sec'y. Judge Rigg.

DALTON, MASS. JAN. 17-19.
W. H. Griswold, Sec'y. Judge Felch.

DULUTH, MINN. JAN. 25-31.
H. Edmunds, Sec'y. Judge Holden.

DAVENPORT, IA. JAN. 31-FEB. 4.
H. A. Skelley, Sec'y.

DES MOINES, IA. JAN. 9-14.
C. H. Clark, Sec'y. Judge Shellabarger.

DETROIT, MICH. JAN. 12-19.
S. Z. Harroun, Sec'y. Judges Rigg and Denny.

DAYTON, O. JAN. 25-31.
Carl W. Lenz, Sec'y. Judge Hewes.

DELAVAN, WIS. JAN. 23-28.
W. E. Peffer, Sec'y. Judges Russell and Jansen.

EMPORIA, KANS. JAN. 24-26.
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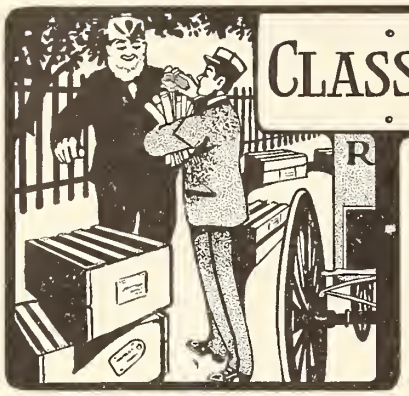

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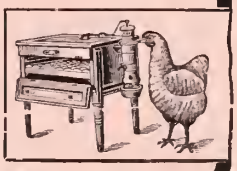

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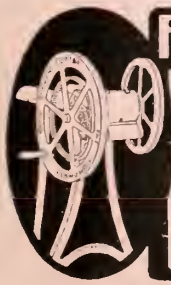

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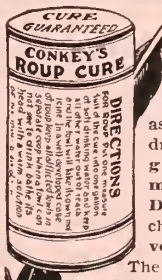

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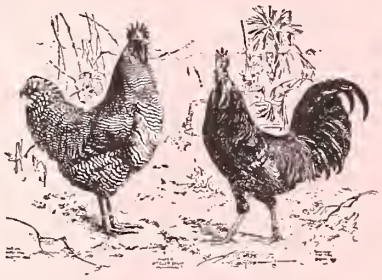

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